

AMENDMENTS

Listing of Claims

The following listing of claims replaces all previous listings or versions thereof:

1. (Presently amended) An isolated peptide ~~of about 7 to 100 amino acid residues comprising a viral fusion protein binding domain of the RhoA protein~~ the amino acid sequence Ile-Leu-Met-Cys-Phe-Ser-Ile-Asp-Ser-Pro (SEQ. I.D. NO. 2).

2-3. (Canceled)

- 2/ 4. The peptide of claim 1, wherein the peptide comprises the amino acid sequence Thr-Asp-Val-Ile-Leu-Met-Cys-Phe-Ser-Ile-Asp-Ser-Pro-Asp-Ser-Leu-Glu-Asn-Ile (SEQ. I.D. NO. 1).

5-74. (Canceled)